

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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SAHNI, Girish, et al.

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Confirmation No.: 5356

Examiner: Sheridan Swope

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For:

NOVEL CLOT-SPECIFIC STREPTOKINASE PROTEINS POSSESSING ALTERED PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATION CHARACTERISTICS AND A PROCESS FOR THE

PREPARATION OF SAID PROTEIN

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of June 2, 2005 to December 2, 2005.

A check for the statutory fee of \$1020.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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